GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Smt G.V.Hemalatha Devi, IRS, formerly Director, Women Development & Child Welfare, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad – Disciplinary action initiated – Appointment of Inquiring Authority/Presenting Officer – Orders - Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 3946 Dated: 03-09-2013.

Read:

G.O.Rt.No.5132, G.A (SC.D) Dept. Dated 06.09.2008.

ORDER:

In the G.O read above, the following charges were framed against Smt G.V.Hemalatha Devi, formerly Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department A.P., Hyderabad, and she was directed to submit her written statement of defense.

ARTICLE OF CHARGES:

That Smt G.V.Hema Latha Devi, while working as the Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department A.P., Hyderabad, has committed grave misconduct in as much as indicated below:

- (i) Undue favoritism towards M/s Talasila Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Limited in having procured the IFA tablets at higher rate.
- (ii) Improper & slack supervision and monitoring the scheme.
- (iii) Allowing M/s Maan Pharmaceuticals to supply IFA tablets through M/s SP Diagnostics through shopping method though their earlier bid was rejected in SLPC

Thus Smt G.V.Hemalatha Devi, by her above mentioned acts failed to maintain absolute integrity, devotion of duty and exhibited conduct unbecoming of a public servant in violation rule 3 of the Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

- 2. The Member of Service has submitted her Written Statement of defense denying the charges on the grounds stated therein.
- 3. Government after careful examination of the Written Statement of defense submitted by the Member of Service, have decided to entrust the charges to Commissioner of Inquiries, under Rule 3 of the Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964 for detailed enquiry.
- 4. Accordingly, in terms of sub-rule 2 of rule 14 of Central Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1965, Government hereby appoint Sri Alok Srivatsava IPS (Retd.) Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department, as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into the Charges framed against Smt G.V.Hemalatha Devi, IRS, formerly Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department.

- 5. Under sub-rule (c) rule 5 of Central Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1965, Sri Sarva Srinivasa Rao, Advocate, is hereby appointed as "Presenting Officer" to present the case on behalf of the Government before the Inquiring Authority in respect of the Charges framed against Smt G.V.Hemalatha Devi, IRS, formerly Director, Women Development & Child Welfare Department.
- 6. The Inquiring Authority shall conduct inquiry into the charges framed against Smt G.V. Hemalatha Devi, IRS, and furnish his report to the Government in duplicate as and when the inquiry is completed, within three months.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

N.SIVA SANKAR SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (POLL)

To Sri Alok Srivatsava IPS (Retd.) Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department, A.P.Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Sri Sarva Srinivasa Rao, Advocate & Presenting Officer,

Smt G.V.Hema Latha Devi, IRS, Formerly Director Women Development & Child Welfare Department. Through Chairman Central Board of Direct Taxes, Dept of Revenue, GoI, New Delhi.

Copy to:

The Chairman Central Board of Direct Taxes, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, New-Delhi- 110001.

The Principal Secretary to Government, Dept. for Women, Children, Disabled and Senior Citizens, A.P.Secretariat, Hyderabad, with a request to handover entire record to the Presenting Officer.

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SECTION OFFICER (SC)